CGA “Senior Rules Official” Program

The Carolinas Golf Association annually receives many requests from outside organizations looking for rules officials to assist with their tournaments. As the need for experienced and knowledgeable rules officials increases, the CGA is implementing a new program to ensure that individuals who work at these non-CGA conducted events have displayed prior rules knowledge and on-course officiating experience.

“Senior Rules Officials” are permitted to wear CGA logoed apparel at non-CGA conducted events and receive a special name badge. Only “Senior Rules Officials” will receive e-mail updates about non-CGA conducted events where rules officials are needed (i.e. college, high school, professional, junior tournaments).

Listed below are the qualifications that the CGA is using to determine “Senior Rules Officials”. Those individuals that desire to become a “Senior Rules Official” must complete the application at the bottom of this page and provide a photocopy of your exam score result.

*Once you become a Senior Rules Official, you will stay a Senior Rules Official each year as long as the following qualifications have been met.

Qualifications (all must be met):

1. Attended a USGA/PGA Rules of Golf workshop in the last 4 years (2016-2019), AND
2. Achieved a score of 75 or higher on the USGA/PGA Rules of Golf workshop exam (2019 Rules Exam), AND
3. Worked at least 5 CGA conducted tournament days in the last year (2018), AND
4. Attended the CGA Rules Officials training seminar within the last 4 years (2016-2019).

Or

1. Member of USGA Committee, AND

New CGA “Senior Rules Official” Application Form

Name: ___________________________________________________________

Mail Address: ____________________________________________________

Mail City: __________________________ Mail State: __________ Mail Zip: __________

E-Mail: __________________________________________ Best Phone Number: __________

Qualifications Checklist (all criteria must be met)

1. Attended a USGA/PGA Rules of Golf workshop in the last 4 years.
   
   Year Attended: ___________________________ (2016-present)

2. Achieved a score of 75 or higher on the 2019 USGA/PGA Rules of Golf workshop exam.
   
   Exam Score: ___________________________ Year: ___________________________
3. Worked at least 5 CGA conducted tournament days in the last year (Event/Site/Date/# Days Worked).

(1) ____________________________________________ (5) ________________
(2) ____________________________________________ (6) ________________
(3) ____________________________________________ (7) ________________
(4) ____________________________________________ (8) ________________

4. Attended the CGA Rules Officials training seminar within last 4 years (2016-2019). Year Attended: __________________________

Or

1. Member of USGA Committee.

   Name of USGA Committee: ______________________________________________

2. Achieved a score of 90 or higher on the 2019 USGA/PGA Rules of Golf workshop exam.

   Exam Score: __________________________ Year: __________________________

Return application along with (1) copy of USGA/PGA workshop exam test score to:

Rusty Harder, CGA, 140 Ridge Road, Southern Pines, NC 28387;
Phone: 910-673-1000 | Fax: 910-673-1001 | Email: rusty.harder@carolinasgolf.org

*Note that the CGA reserves the right to accept or reject individuals into this program.